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TAGS: EFIS, IC, UK

SUBJECO: ICELAND-UK FISHERIES DISPUTE: ANOTHER TRAWL CUTTING

1. COAST GUARD ANNOUNCED THIS AFTERNOON THAT ONE OF ITS VESSELS HAD CUT NETS FROM BRITISH TRAWLER 44 MILES FROM SHORE ABOUT 1300 TODAY. BRITISH BOAT HAD ALLEGEDLY IGNORED REPEATED COAST GUARD ORDERS TO STOP FISHING AND HAD "DEFIED" COAST GUARD BY DISPLAYING SKULL-AND-CROSSBONES FLAG.

2. CUTTING IS FIRST IN WEEK AND FIRST SINCE UK TRAWLERS RETURNED TO FISHING GROUNDS LATE LAST WEEK

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UNDER URGING AND PROMISE OF COMPENSATION FOR

LOSSES FROM UK GOVERNMENT. IT COMES ON HEELS OF
PUBLIC STATEMENT YESTERDAY BY PROGRESSIVE PARTY
CHAIRMAN AND JUSTICE MINISTER OLAFUR JOHANNESSON
(WHOSE MINISTRY INCLUDES COAST GUARD) THAT LITTLE
IF ANY GROUNDS APPEAR TO EXIST FOR SETTLEMENT
WITH BRITISH.
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